

Superintendent's District Advisory Panel for Exceptional Student Education



Secondary Transition Subcommittee Meeting April 5, 2023 1:00 PM

- I. Welcome and Introductions
 - A. In attendance: Maggie Ercilla (M-DCPS; Co-Chair), Brenda Lampon (VR; Co-Chair), Magali Enriquez (M-DCPS), Jennifer Feinstein (UM-NSU CARD), Maria Ratti (Parent), Valerie Zenni (Parent to Parent of Miami)
- II. M-DCPS Transition Services Updates
 - A. 2023 Summer Youth Internship Program – July 3, 2023 to August 7, 2023
 - i. ESE shared information about the Summer Youth Internship Program, which is posted online at ctemiami.net.
 - ii. ESE will be hosting parent information sessions virtually in May.
 - a. Thursday, May 11, 2023, at 1:00 PM
 - b. Tuesday, May 16th, 2023, at 6:00 PM
 - B. Professional Development – LEA Training on April 12, 2023
 - i. ESE will be reviewing the deferral process and options with LEA representatives at this training.
 - ii. ESE discussed the enrollment process for students who are over 18 and will be reviewing this process with all LEA representatives at the compliance training.
 - C. VISIONS conference – ESE supervisor and transition specialist are participating in the state conference.

III. Vocational Rehabilitation Updates

A. VR provided an update on career camps and upcoming opportunities for students.

IV. Agency Connections

A. UM-NSU CARD and Parent to Parent of Miami shared updates and feedback.

Secondary Transition Subcommittee Goals:

- Increase parent and staff engagement and awareness of Transition opportunities, programs, and agencies.
- Increase collaboration with community agencies to bring support and resources to students and families.